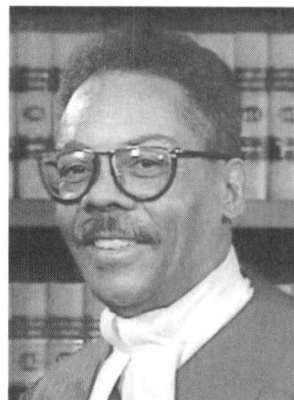

COURT OF APPEALS BIOGRAPHIES

CHIEF JUDGE**ROBERT M. BELL**

Chief Judge, Court of Appeals, 6th Appellate Circuit (Baltimore City), since 1996 (Judge, May 16, 1991-). Chair, Maryland Judicial Conference, 1996-. Member, Executive Committee, 1996-, and Judicial Compensation Committee, 1996-, Maryland Judicial Conference. Chair, Library Committee, State Law Library, 1996-. Chair, Committee on Building Public Trust and Confidence in the Justice System, 1998-99. Chair, Maryland Alternative Dispute Resolution Commission, 1998-. Chair, Technology Oversight Board, 1999-. Chair, Public Trust and Confidence Implementation Committee, 2000-. Chair, Judicial Cabinet, 2000-. Chair, Judicial Council, Maryland Judicial Conference, 2000-.

Member, Judges, Masters and Juvenile Justice Committee, Dept. of Juvenile Justice, 1996-. Chair, Hall of Records Commission, 1998- (member, 1996-). Member, State Commission on Criminal Sentencing Policy, 1999-2000.

Judge, District Court of Maryland, District 1, Baltimore City, 1975-80. Associate Judge, Baltimore City Circuit Court, 8th Judicial Circuit, 1980-84. Judge, Court of Special Appeals, 6th Appellate Circuit (Baltimore City), 1984-91.

Born in Rocky Mount, North Carolina, July 6, 1943. Attended Dunbar High School, Baltimore, Maryland; Morgan State College, A.B. (history & political science), 1966; Harvard University Law School, J.D., 1969. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1969. Member, National, American, Maryland State, Baltimore City and Monumental City Bar Associations. Special Award, Maryland State Bar Association, 1998. Legal Excellence Award for Advancement of Public Service Responsibility, Maryland Bar Foundation, 1999. Rosalyn B. Bell Award, Women's Law Center of Maryland, 1999. Louis M. Brown Award for Legal Access, Standing Committee on the Delivery of Legal Services, American Bar Association, 2000.

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Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Maryland, 1978-81. Senior Trial Attorney, Office of Special Litigation, U.S. Dept. of Justice, 1984-88. Chief, Criminal Investigations Division, Office of Attorney General, 1988-90. Chief of Staff to U.S. Senator Barbara A. Mikulski, 1991-93. U.S. Attorney, District of Maryland, 1993-2000. Member, Task Force on Sentencing and Intermediate Sanctions, 1995-96; Maryland Alternative Dispute Resolution Commission, 1998-2000. Co-Chair, Women's Health Promotion Council, 1998-. Member, Safe Schools Interagency Steering Committee, 1999-. Vice-Chair, Maryland Commission for Women. *Born in Buffalo, New York, April 14, 1946. American University, B.A. (international relations), 1967, M.A., 1968; University of Maryland School of Law, J.D., 1974. Order of the Coif (law school honorary society). Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1974. Member, Maryland State Bar Association (gender equality committee; civility task force); Baltimore City Bar Association (former chair, judicial administration committee). Associate, Semmes, Bowen & Semmes 1974-78. Adjunct faculty, University of Maryland School of Law, 1983-. Dorothy Beatty Memorial Award, Women's Law Center of Maryland, 1994. Maryland's Top 100 Women, Daily Record, 1996, 1999, 2001. Distinguished Women Award, Girl Scouts of Central*

Maryland, 1997. Distinguished Graduate Award, University of Maryland School of Law, 1998.

DALE R. CATHELL. *Judge, Court of Appeals*, 1st Appellate Circuit (Caroline, Cecil, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's, Somerset, Talbot, Wicomico & Worcester counties), since January 1998.

City Attorney, City of Ocean City, 1970-76. Member, Worcester County Shoreline Commission, 1971; Charter Revision Committee, City of Ocean City, 1973; Utility Consumer Advisory Panel, 1978. Associate Judge, District Court of Maryland, District 2, Worcester County, 1980-81. Associate Judge, Worcester County Circuit Court, 1st Judicial Circuit, 1981-89. Judge, Court of Special Appeals, 1st Appellate Circuit (Caroline, Cecil, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's, Somerset, Talbot, Wicomico & Worcester counties), 1989-98. Member, Family and Domestic Relations Law Committee, Maryland Judicial Conference, 1995-97. Past member, Executive Committee, Maryland Judicial Conference. *Born in Berlin, Maryland, July 30, 1937. Attended Stephen Decatur High School. Served in U.S. Air Force, 1955-59. University of Maryland, 1962-64; Mt. Vernon School of Law, LL.B., 1967. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1967. Member, American, Maryland State, Baltimore City and Worcester County Bar Associations. Organizer, Legal Intern Program. Instructor*